

General Plans For Career Day Are Complete

1400 High School Seniors Expected Friday, March 2

Plans have been completed for Tyler Junior College's fifth annual Senior Career Day, Friday, March 2. Approximately 1400 seniors from 30 East Texas high schools are expected to take part in the day's activities.

Senior Career Day, now a familiar date on almost every college and university calendar in Texas, is designed to assist graduating seniors in choosing their professions as well as in adjusting for the leap from high school to college.

The day begins with general registration at 8:30 a.m., followed by a general program in the TJC Gentry Gymnasium. At 10:50 the students will begin their career conferences in the main building, the Teepee building and the vocational building.

Visiting seniors to the TJC campus will be given expert counseling and advice by 44 business and professional men and women from the Tyler area. These consultants will discuss professional and business fields for the students' benefit. Students may also receive personal counseling if desired.

A free chicken dinner, courtesy of friends and alumni of Tyler Junior College, will be held in Gentry Gym from 12:30 to 1:15 p.m. for all visiting students and their sponsors.

A one-hour fun and variety show, "College Capers," will climax the day's events at 1:15 in the gym. The show will feature the Apache Belles and various other campus organizations.

Principal speaker for the General Program will be Dr. C. C. Colvert, who is Junior College Consultant from the University of Texas. Dr. Colvert was also principal speaker at the last three TJC Career Days.

High schools invited to participate in Career Day are Tyler, Lindale, Arp, Hawkins, Winona, Mineola, Jacksonville, Chandler, Big Sandy, Whitehouse, Chapel Hill, Troup, Rusk, New Summerfield, Frankston, Alba, Emory, Bullard, Brownsboro, Winnsboro, Grand Saline, Canton, Van, Golden, Martins Mills, Dialville, Gallatin, Yantis, Carlisle and Henderson.

Faculty members of TJC will head the whole project and act as chairmen of various departments. The faculty also serves on many different special committees concerned with Career Day.

Coach Babe Hallmark is chairman of the foods committee and Mrs. Mildred Stringer is planning the "College Capers."

TJC Students Invited To Attend Conferences

Though Senior Career Day is planned especially for graduating high school seniors in this area, TJC students, especially freshmen, are invited to take advantage of the professional counseling service.

TJC freshmen who attended Career Day last year as high school seniors had time for only one conference. If there is another business or professional conference they would like to attend, or if they have not yet decided on a vocation, Dean E. M. Potter urges them to be present at this year's conference.

"Many students come to college with their minds only half made up as to their life careers. One of the chief values of the freshman year is in providing opportunities for further exploring of career possibilities; therefore Career Day fits in well in this respect," said Dean Potter.

Freshmen will not register in the library, but are invited to attend the general assembly and the career conferences. Many freshmen students act as hosts and hostesses in showing seniors around the college.

'SON, HERE'S HOW I MAKE RAIN,'—Explains Starbuck (Cecil Jones) to Jim (Ed Chinnock). This is a scene from the Civic Theater's forthcoming play, "The Rain-

maker." Jones plays the title role as Starbuck and Ed Chinnock portrays the wide-eyed farm boy.

Jones Plays Lead In 'Rainmaker'

Cecil Jones, head of the drama department, has the title role in "The Rainmaker," a Tyler Civic Theatre production running through the week of Feb. 18.

Also in the cast is freshman Ed Chinnock, a drama major and student of Jones.

Jones plays a con-man, Bill Starbuck, and Chinnock is cast as the not-too-bright farm boy.

Setting of the romantic comedy is on a farm in the western part of the country during a prolonged drouth and concerns the Curry family—H. C., the father; his two sons Nash and Jim, and his daughter Lizzie.

The men of the family are as much concerned about the failure of Lizzie to be married as they are with the desperate situation of no rain. The show is largely concerned with their attempt to get her a husband.

Onto this scene comes a rather flamboyant but pleasing young man (Starbuck) who claims he can relieve the drouth. He will bring rain for \$100. But in the process of his antics to produce rain, he becomes involved in the marital situation of Lizzie and takes an active part in these plans.

Everyone "gets taken" by Starbuck, though he is fairly nice despite his shady deals.

Jones' career in the theatre is as varied as that of his acting. Included have been acting, directing, writing technician, stage manager, "everything but the janitor."

Among the many acting roles to his credit while a student at Vanderbilt are the role of Manningham in "Angel Street," Captain Bluntchill in Shaw's "Arms and the Man," Benedick in "Much Ado About Nothing," Ben Hubbard in "The Little Foxes."

At Northwestern while working on an MA, he played John Tanner in "Man and Superman," and was narrator in "Infernal Machine." He was also writing technician and stage manager there.

nician and stage manager there.

The theatre in every phase, from musical comedy to drama, is his first love. While stationed in the army at Fort Jackson, S. C., he was actor, stage manager, and director of the theatre group on the post. He was also with the Circle Theatre at Nashville and with the theatre group at Judson College, Marion, Ala.

Chinnock was stage manager for the Christmas folk opera, "Amahl and the Night Visitors." He was an active participant in drama while in Tyler High School.

New Pow Wow Business Manager Makes Tough Staff Job Seem Easy

By BILLY PORTWOOD

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This extra work does not raise her grades. As a journalism student, she must still write the required 20 inches (seven typed pages) for each paper and she must pass all tests and meet all class requirements.

Lafon's accomplishments are varied. She starred in "Sabrina" and was featured in "Angel Street" with the Civic Theatre. She is a member of the Apache Belles, was candidate for the 1956 yearbook beauty, and is a staff member of the Apache yearbook.

Though undecided on a senior college she will attend, she is sure of her major, journalism. She will specialize in public relations.

Kinzie Ingenuity

TJC might add another boast to the book of Texas Brags.

The story goes that when Bill Kinzie (a TJC sophomore) attended the 1950 Boy Scouts of America convention in Valley Forge, Penn., he brought back some interesting tales of Texas ingenuity.

The unbelievable happened when several Texas boys painted cockle-burs white and sold them to Yanks for porcupine eggs. In the bargain were instructions stating the eggs should "be soaked three weeks in salty water" to insure hatching.

Hogue Receives Laura Greer Scholarship Award

Preston Hogue of Emory, a law student majoring in government, has been named recipient of the \$100 Laura Greer Scholarship Award for 1956.

The scholarship is an annual presentation to a student meeting these requirements:

Social service major, high in scholastic achievements, worthy character, interested in promoting good government.

Hogue has taken 15 courses at TJC and has made 15 A's.

The \$100 award is in honor of Laura Greer, formally of Tyler and now of Boston, Mass. She is now married to a Harvard Professor, Dr. Ruggles-Gates.

When in Tyler, she was active in club work and was president of the Third District of the Federation of Women's Clubs.

The Laura Greer Scholarship committee is composed of Miss Elizabeth Bryarly, Dr. Wiley Jenkins, and James Barnes.

Valentine Coffee

Atta Kula Kula will sponsor a valentine coffee Tuesday, Feb. 14, during the activity period in the girls lounge for all women of the college. Miss Elizabeth, organization sponsor, extends a special invitation to new students and faculty.

The valentine theme is to be carried out in spring flowers, cupids, and hearts.

Belles Practicing New Routines For Career Day

Apache Belle practices which began Monday will continue regularly until perfect precision is maintained for the special dance routines they will perform on Career day in college capers.

Al Gilliam, choreographer for the Belles is working out special dance routines for the occasion.

Mrs. Mildred Stringer, director of the group will be in charge of the Career Day program. Mrs. Stringer is keeping the details of the program a secret, but the variety and type of Apache talent indicates that many surprises are in store for those who attend.

Included will be the TJC Boy's Quartet, Lanell Rowell and her flashing batons, Dale Robins, Drum Major of the Tyler High Band displaying his techniques with a baton, and of course the famous Apache Belles.



LAFON YOUNG—New Pow Wow Business Manager, figures advertising inches for the next edition.

New Admission Test Required For Law School Applicants At UT

Of interest to those pre-law students at TJC (and all other schools and colleges) who plan to attend the University of Texas is the new admission change specifically applying to law students.

A compulsory admission test (not the regular University of Texas admission test now required of all entrants) will be given all applicants after June 1, 1956.

Quoting from the Daily Texan, which calls the test a "precedent-breaking move," the tests will "raise admission standards and cut applicants for the first year class by 10 to 15 per cent, Page Keeton, dean of the law school, estimates.

"Students who have a 1.5 grade average before applying will be admitted without regard to their only if their scores meet the minimum standard.

"All applicants, regardless of grade average or previous place of study, will be required to take the test, however, emphasized test scores. Applicants with lower average, however, will be accepted Miss Beverly Benson, spokesman for the Testing and Guidance Bureau.

"Never before in the history of the law School has a general aptitude-type admission test been required," Dean Keeton said. Chiefly this test should just eliminate those students who would have to drop out by the end of the first year anyway.

"Named simply 'Law School Admission Test,' the examination is sponsored by the Educational Test-

11 Workshop Students Are Library Helpers

Eleven students are in the library on workshops this semester according to information from the librarian Mrs. Ethelwyn Foman.

Students scheduled for one hour of library duty daily are Merlon Avant, Martha Braly, Rosemary Garner, Dot Killion, Charles Mallard, Catherine Sloan, and Norman E. Johnston, all from Palestine, Annette Austin, Tyler, Patricia Rains, Grand Saline, and Mike Mezeyak, Damascus, Syria.

A workshop involves working an hour each day and having the funds received go toward paying the tuition.

General duties of the library assistants are to check books in and out, put new books on shelves and to prepare books for release to the readers.

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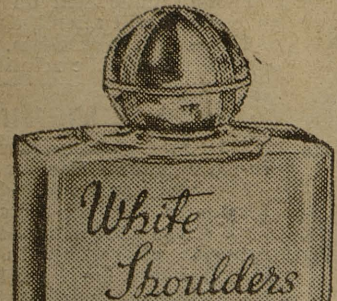
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Miss Faye Cook

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Miss Faye Cook, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cook will become the bride of Barney Richardson, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Richardson of Athens, tomorrow evening at 8 in the home of her parents, 1921 North Church Street.

The Reverend C. R. Tominson, pastor of the Church of God, will officiate. The couple's attendants will be Miss Jean Moore, maid of honor, and Ray Womack, cousin of the groom, best man.

The bride, who will be given in marriage by her father, has chosen a navy fitted suit of orlon-wool with white accessories. She will carry a white Bible topped with a white orchid.

The maid of honor will wear a pink fitted suit. Her flowers will be a white carnation corsage.

The reception will be held at the home of the bride's parents for the bridal party, members of the two families, and guests.

Mrs. Mary Cook, sister-in-law of the bride, and Mrs. Letha Merle Richardson, sister-in-law of the groom, will preside at the reception.

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Kinzie Is New President Of Sophomore Class

Former Vice-president Bill Kinzie assumed presidency of the sophomore class at a special election meeting last week.

Other officers elected were Vice-president Bill Davis and Secretary Lanell Rowell.

All officers automatically become members of the student council.

Three candidates for class favorites were also nominated to replace candidates not enrolled in TJC this semester. Nominated were Jack Maloy, Walter Land, and Jane McCasland. Former candidates were Dan Gibbs, Joe Lee Holt, and Gwen Wisenhunt.

Kinzie replaces former President Joe Lee Holt who left at mid-term for Oklahoma A&M. A pre-med major and a member of the scholastic honorary society, Phi Theta Kappa, Kinzie also has a number of honors on his high school record at Lindale. He was valedictorian of his class, elected to Who's Who, received the Rotary Award, was a three-year letterman in football, and was business manager of the yearbook. He plans to attend the University of Texas.

Women Students Eligible To Enter Fiction Contest

Any woman student at TJC under the age of 26 is eligible to enter the national fiction contest sponsored by Mademoiselle.

The two winners will receive \$500 each for the serial rights to their stories and publication in Mademoiselle. Runners-up will receive honorable mention in the magazine, with the magazine reserving the right to buy their stories at regular rates. The winners will be announced in the August issue.

Stories submitted should run from approximately 2500 to 5000 words and each contestant may submit as many entries as she likes. Stories that have appeared in undergraduate publications are acceptable if they have not been published elsewhere.

Entries must be typewritten, double-spaced, on one side of page only. All work must be clearly marked with contestant's name, age, home, and school address and school year.

A manuscript-sized manila envelope, self-addressed and stamped, should be enclosed with all entries. Mademoiselle assumes no responsibility for manuscripts and will not return any stories received unless they are accompanied by a return envelope. Stories must be original and fictitious.

Judges of the contest will be Mademoiselle editors, whose decisions will be final. Entries should be submitted to College Fiction Contest, Mademoiselle, 575 Madison Avenue, New York 22, New York. They must be postmarked no later than midnight March 15, 1956.



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Nursing Students Take Special Work In Austin

Six of 15 senior nursing students from Texas Eastern School of Nursing have begun affiliation in Austin.

Third-year students do their psychiatric nursing in Austin, first at Brackenridge Hospital for twelve weeks in care of children, then Austin State Hospital for 12 weeks in psychiatric nursing.

Those who began their affiliation in January are:

Mildred Malone, Bobbie Martin, Paula Parks, Margaret Pontremoli, Pat Simmons, and Ruth Sims.

Those who returned from the affiliation are:

Joan Cunningham, Mary Andrews, Ruth Graves, Sue Nell Goforth, Patricia Johnson, Nancy Landrum, Louise Oller, Norma Larison White.

Instructors for the TESN are: George Stiles, Eddie Fowler, Eulah Pullen, Mary Stephenson, Ida Belle Riddle, Mary Eiden, and Cleone Morris.

TESN AND TJC

Instructors Join Faculty

Two instructors have been added to the faculty, Miss Joan Vanhaverbeke and Miss Joan Sherwanack. Both are members of the Texas Eastern School of Nursing faculty also.

Miss Vanhaverbeke, associated with TESN before this semester, will teach Nursing Arts. Miss Sherwanack, coming into both systems at mid-term, will teach Public Health and be assistant to the Director of TESN, Miss Eulah Pullen.

An RN from St. Josephs in Houston, Miss Vanhaverbeke is also a graduate of Kilgore College and a BS major from the Sacred Hearts Dominican in Houston.

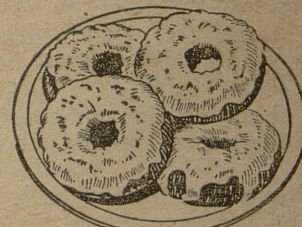
Miss Sherwanack, a native of Pittsburgh, Pa., is a graduate of Charity Hospital School of Nursing, New Orleans. She holds the distinguished honor of being one of six nurses to receive the first Sheen Award. One thousand candidates from over the nation were first screened. From this 1000, six nurses were selected for the award.

The award, first made in 1953, will be presented by Monsignor Fulton Sheen every 10 years for outstanding social welfare work. Miss Sherwanack went to Washington, D. C. to receive the award, personally presented by Monsignor Sheen.

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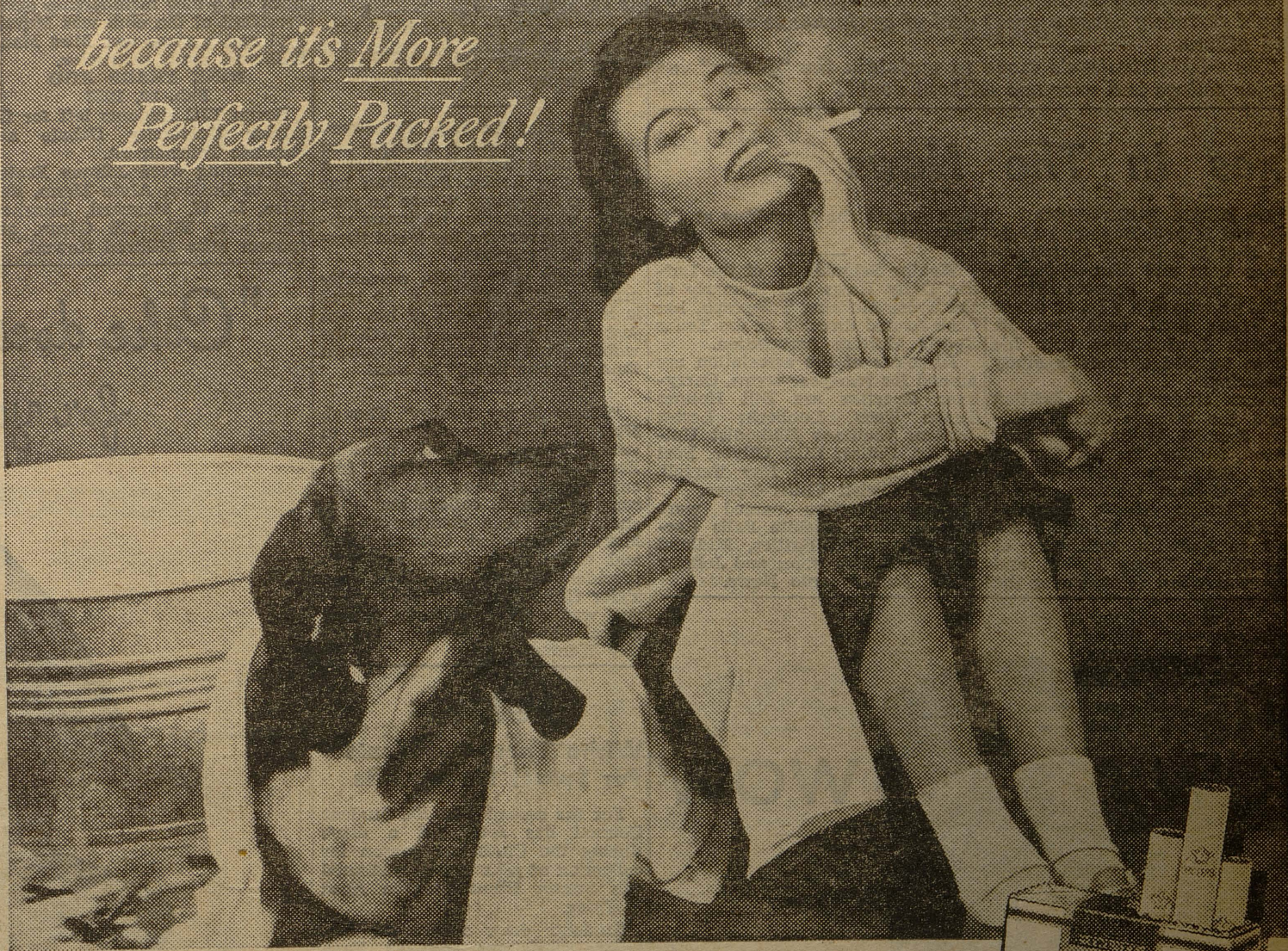
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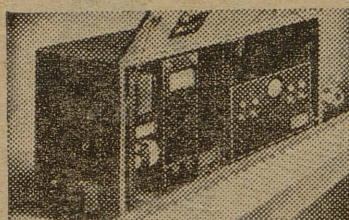
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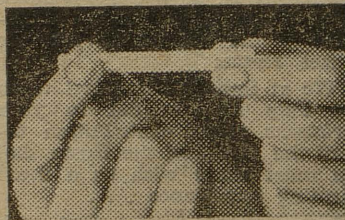
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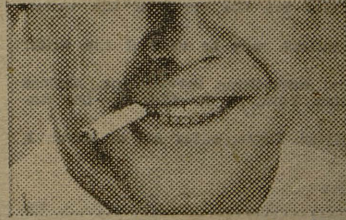
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Why 'Junior' In TJC?

The 1955-56 college year has seen a number of Texas junior colleges change their names, dispensing with the word "junior."

"Junior" has nothing to do with rank—when it comes to colleges, but the word is necessary if one is to explain that the college deals with only freshmen and sophomores.

However, the public sometimes misinterprets the word. Consequently, "junior" is dropping from college titles.

If one looks at it superficially, the move is obvious. "Junior" somehow suggests inferiority and subordinate ranking to other colleges. While this is not true the fact is present—"Junior" just isn't an eye-catching word to high school seniors seeking college education.

Just how will this movement to do away with "junior" in junior colleges affect TJC? Does the administration have any plans for changing the name of TJC?

"Definitely not," says President H. E. Jenkins.

"TJC has gained a national reputation and most of those acquainted with the college know of it as Tyler Junior College—not Tyler College," Dr. Jenkins says.

"We thought about changing the name several years ago, but the ex-students protested so loudly that we immediately dropped the idea.

"TJC is fast becoming one of the top junior colleges in the nation and a change in its name would certainly affect its growth."

Dr. Jenkins' and the administration's stand to maintain the word "junior" in TJC is justified by the numerous letters received from students inquiring about TJC's offerings.

A brochure published recently by the college illustrates a few of these letters. One letter comes from Est de Sao, Paulo, Brazil, South America; another is from Canberra, Australia; one is from New Bedford, England; and many others are from all of the parts of the United States, ranging from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

And most writers, when referring to TJC, use the entire name, Tyler JUNIOR College.

"There is another reason for maintaining the "junior" in TJC.

There are six other colleges, business schools and trade colleges in Tyler. And most of them have the word Tyler prefixed to their name.

Thus, changing TJC's name to read simply Tyler College would certainly cause a great deal of confusion to students and others.

The administration's move to maintain the "junior" in junior college is a wise one without doubt.

Exes In The News

By BILLY PORTWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. J. Raymond Fisher (Fisher is a former speech instructor here and Mrs. Fisher is former student, Frances Hart) are the parents of a 7 lb. 12 ounce boy, Frank Paul, born Dec. 16. If Frank Paul agrees with his parents, he will eventually study engineering.

Former students seen drifting around the campus during mid-term: Emmitt Williams, Sammy Jackson, Shirley Turner, Tommy Jones, Sammy Fowler, Pat Stamps, Carlton Godfrey, David Lott, Carolyn Guest, Barbara Stanfield, Mickey Koonce (engaged to Sandra McKinney of Tyler High), Nancy Miller, and Mary Ann Ward (elated over the

high grades she is making at the University).

Hunter Schmidt Jr. of the Lufkin Daily News and formerly of the Tyler Morning Telegraph, has been named director of the Texas Sports Writers Association.

Directors of the association are named for two-year terms. Carry-over directors are Bill Holmes Texas Tech, Lubbock; Lester Jordan, Southern Methodist University, Dallas; Dick Oliver, Port Arthur News, and Roy Terrell, Corpus Christi Caller-Times.

Other directors named were Bob Herdier, Wichita Falls Record News; Ted Battles, Midland Reporter - Telegram; and Johnny Janes, San Antonio News.

Faculty Briefs

By JAMES POWELL

Hobbies among the faculty are as interesting as the personalities themselves.

Joseph Kirshbaum, director of the Texas Eastern School of Music, enjoys playing chess. Although he has not played many games in Tyler he enjoys the unique but fascinating method - correspondence.

He explained the procedure in this way: Each player has identical boards. A player decides on a move and writes the other party who in turn makes the same move on his board and vice versa.

An advantage of the correspondence method is that the player has plenty of time to decide on the move to catch the other fellow. Kirshbaum didn't explain "plenty of time", but he said sometimes it takes two years to finish a game.

Interest increases when several groups correspond with foreign countries.

"Sometimes they can't speak our language but they sure do know when to make the right move," Kirshbaum said.

Miss Elizabeth Bryarly, dean of Women, and head of the English department, places reading at the top of her hobby list. Among her favorite authors are Tolstoy, Conrad, Hemingway, Frost, Brown, Shakespeare, and Steinbeck. She enjoys all writers of comedy or humor.

She also enjoys the theatre, any good movies are plays, but her favorite movie is classical tragedy. Tennessee Williams is one of her favorite modern playwrights.

As for people, she likes them of all ages.

And "teaching is the ideal profession in which to enjoy my chief interests," she said, "books and people."

Electronics for I. L. Friedman, director of Evening College and Distributive Education, offers a challenging hobby. Friedman has a home laboratory where he performs experiments. He keeps up-to-date by reading the latest literature on electronics.

Working with plants, especially grafting different types of trees is another enjoyment of his. But just "simply walking through the woods gives me more enjoyment than any one thing," he said.

"Music is my hobby." Though Mrs. Carl Wallace, director of guidance and teacher training, likes "to be in the audience." She enjoys participating too. She has sung in church, college and civic choirs. She is a member of the Marvin Methodist Church Choir and the Coterie Choir and past president of both. She started the Tyler Civic Choirs in 1941 while she was music chairman of the Association of American University Women.

Letters

White Thanks Students For Sunset Home Gifts

For the second year the Student Council has sponsored a drive during the Christmas Season for collection of gifts to be distributed the Sunset Home for the Aged in Tyler.

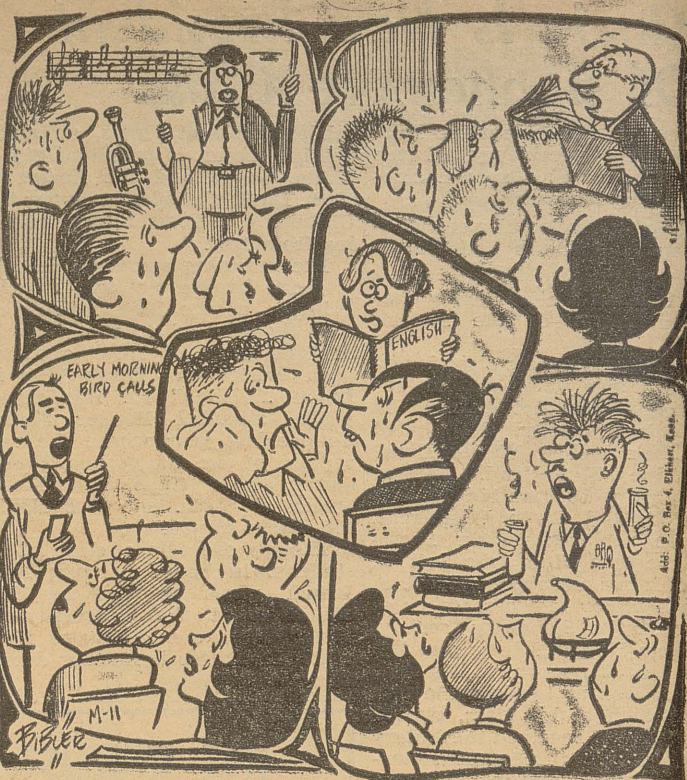
Students drew names the day before Christmas holidays. Each Sunset Home occupant's name was placed in the box twice, thereby assuring him two gifts.

The following is an excerpt from a letter by H. E. White, president of the Home, in answer to the college's White Christmas for the Sunset Home:

"We at Sunset Home feel when you help as you did in your Christmas cheer contribution toward the guests of the Home that you must share with us a heart warming experience . . .

"Your efforts to see that each guest had a gift, wrapped in the greetings of the season, takes care of that part of their daily routine we at the Home are not able to give . . .

"A group of young people who take the time and effort to help cheer these good people evidence that we have in you, friends who are a must. We want you to know we appreciated your remembering us as you have here."



Looking Back At TJC

TEN YEARS AGO
Feb. 14, 1946

Miss Bettie Lukenbill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Lukenbill of Tyler, was elected Miss Valentine of 1946 by the TJC student body. The annual Valentine Day party was held in the girls lounge with members of the student body and faculty attending.

The yearly enrollment for TJC reached 361, a composite of 72 shop students, 20 night school students, and 269 day academic students. Of the total 361, 120 were veterans of World War II.

The TJC Engineers Club began work on a new membership drive. President of the club was Murray Nall and sponsor was Miss Mabel Williams, math instructor.

NINE YEARS AGO
Feb. 20, 1947

Seven TJC students left for the Baylor University Debate and Forensic Tournament.

Attending were Johnny Prater, Melvin Outlaw, Alvin Mann, Bert Wise, L. W. Maynard, Elizabeth Thompson, Elizabeth Glenn, and sponsor Miss Mildred Howell.

The Board of Trustees announced purchase of 40 1/3 acres for the site of Tyler Junior College's new campus and building.

EIGHT YEARS AGO
Feb. 30, 1948

Herb Richardson and Bill Johnson were named junior college all-Americans. Richardson earned his honor in basketball while Johnson was named to the All-America team in football.

Atta Kula Kula announced plans to sponsor a Ranch Weekend Party April 30-May 2.

A group of five Phi Theta Kappa representatives returned from a Phi Theta Kappa convention held in Pueblo, Colo.

Attending the meeting were Clifton Rayfield, Thelma Peacock, Bobby Inman, Charles Harvey, and sponsor Miss Mildred Howell.

TJC's Apache basketball team won second place in the Texas A&M College Invitational Tournament and returned home with a unusual trophy—an entire basketball of gold.

Eleven Apache Belles participated in the Junior Chamber of Commerce - sponsored Minstrel Show held in the civic auditorium.



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Sigma Sigma Is Among Largest Campus Clubs

Present membership of the Sigma Sigma, an organization for secretarial students enrolled in one of the three shorthand classes, is one of the largest of any organization on the campus this year.

Sponsors of the organization are Mrs. Frances Flaherty, Miss John Armstrong, Mrs. Louise Clinkscale, and Mrs. Etta Spivey.

The Sigma Sigma Club, organized last year, attempts to acquaint the future secretary with her responsibilities by providing interesting and educational programs.

Students from 21 towns compose the membership.

Members from Tyler are Charlyne Burkett, Patsy Ferguson, Sara Hicks, Peggy McElroy, Pat Shaffer, Rosemary Tipton, Rita Withington, Betty Coker, Viola Hicklen, Mildred Hendrix, June Jackson, DeAnne Hoddenbach, Leah, Cherry Jo McKinney, Pat Miller, Jean Rayford, Delight Harvard, Gail Stanley, and Louise Wilson.

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Winnsboro: Rita Kennemer and Dovie Ann Satterwhite.

Arp: Juanita Parish and Shirley Linker.

Brownsboro: Lela Sue Bass and Hazel Collins.

Van: Peggy Strickland and Elizabeth Dane.

Grand Saline: Mary Lou Eason, Pat Rains, and Ann Hill.

Each of the following towns has one member: Rusk, Marcia Maness; Quitman, Melba Robinson; Henderson, Peggy Snelgrove; Alba, Peggy Brown; Gaston, Yvonne Waller; Kilgore, Jerry Gower; Chapel Hill, Carol Lewis; Mineola, Florence Wright.

Smyrl Goes 'American' During European Stay

Edwin Smyrl, former student of TJC, and son of Mrs. Sammie Smyrl, mathematics instructor, spent the Christmas holidays in Spain.

Edwin is on a Fulbright scholarship at the University of Caen, Caen, France, studying French customary law, working toward his Ph.D. degree.

This is his second year in Europe. He has done extensive traveling while there, much of it in the American "student style," hitch-hiking.

According to a recent letter to his mother, he likes the people of Spain very much, and includes among his friends there a "real matador." Much of his time was spent in Tudela. Friends that he met last summer invited him back for the holiday season.

On your shopping tour be sure to pick up a handy cartoon of Cokes to satisfy your thirst. There is no other drink as good.

Scholarships Available At Woman's College

St. Charles, Mo. (Spl.). — Tyler Junior College students are eligible to apply for \$1,000 scholarships being offered to qualified women graduates of accredited junior colleges by Lindenwood College, St. Charles, Mo.

The \$1000 scholarships are awarded for two years, \$500 to be applied to the account for the junior year and \$500 for the senior year at Lindenwood, it was announced by Dr. F. L. McCluer, president of the four-year women's college.

Applications are to be sent to William F. McMurry, director of admissions at Lindenwood, and are to be accompanied by a recommendation by the applicant's dean, a transcript of high school record and of the college record through the first semester of the sophomore year, and a statement of reasons for the applicant's choice of a major, Dr. McCluer said.

Students chosen for scholarships may work toward any one of four degrees granted at Lindenwood: the B.A., B.S., B.M. and B.M.E. Further information is available in the office of the dean.

Phi Theta Kappa Pins Ready For Distribution

The Phi Theta Kappa pins are in and ready for distribution, Miss Mildred Howell, sponsor of the honorary society has announced.

Active membership in the local chapter is probably larger than at any time in the past. At the close of the fall semester membership totaled 30, but a few have graduated and transferred from TJC. Freshmen are eligible after one semester at TJC.

The TJC chapter, Alpha Omicron, is only one of hundreds of chapters belonging to the national honorary organization for junior colleges.

With winter just beginning in the Tyler area, Ray Masters has begun a sale on men's and boys' clothing. Buying at Ray Masters is always popular with TJC students, but to buy for about half price, a fact that always appeals to the budget minded student, seems almost unbelievable.

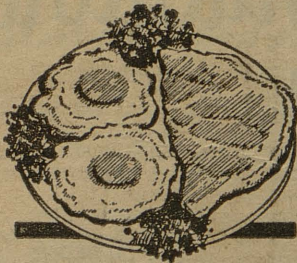
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It's never too cold to have a coke. The other day I had a bottle coke in a cup from a machine in Medical Center. Try one. They are still "Coke"—but different.

For newcomers to Tyler, this good news: College Cleaners offers the lowest prices in Tyler. Save 35 per cent with their cash and carry system when you patronize any of their four conveniently placed locations as seen in their advertisement of page 3.

For casual wear, Mayer & Schmidt has early spring outfits in quilted combinations. In gay

colors and prints, the blouse, \$5.95; the skirt, \$11.95; and Bermuda shorts, \$5.00. Who could help but feel spring in the air with such designs?

Marlboro dress shirts in latest style colors and checks, whites, solids and stripes are Ray Master's choice for Valentine gifts or just "something new for spring." These shirts, usually \$5.00, are only \$3.95.

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Graduates Urgently Needed In Insurance Business

NEW YORK.—Several hundred college graduates are needed each year to begin work as casualty and fire insurance actuaries, Albert Z. Skelding secretary-treasurer of the Casualty Actuarial Society, announced here today.

Skelding said the fire and casualty actuarial profession, though not too well known, offers one of the most interesting, satisfying and rewarding careers available to college graduates interested in mathematics.

"To acquaint college students with the advantages of actuarial careers, the Casualty Actuarial Society has just published a folder describing the profession," he declared. "These folders are being made available without cost to undergraduates all over the nation through college mathematics departments and placement offices.

"Actuaries are the analysts charged with keeping casualty and fire insurance companies in financial balance," Skelding explained. "In terms of salary, working conditions and advancement opportunities, few other careers offer such a good start or so much possibility for getting ahead. Actuaries are employed in every state in the union and develop a knowledge of the insurance business that makes them logical candidates

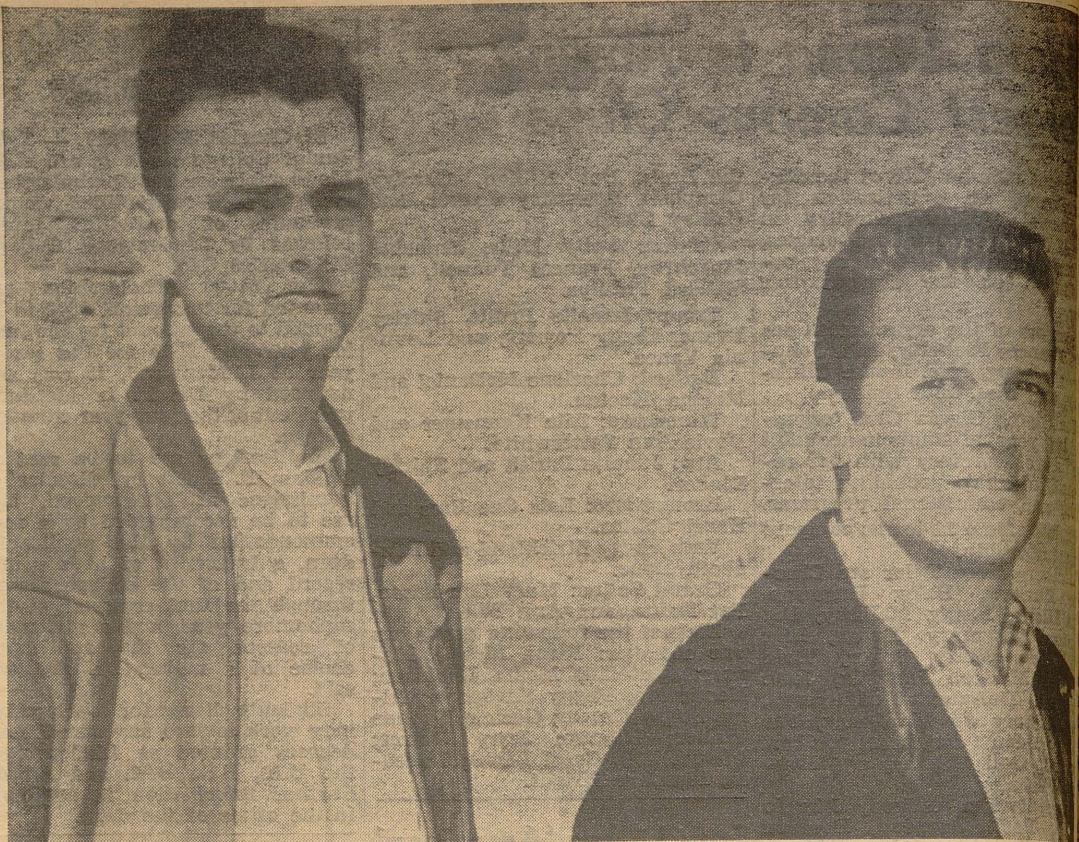
for rapid advancement into executive and management positions with insurance companies.

"Because the profession has not been widely publicized and because the casualty and fire insurance business is expanding so rapidly, there are usually more good jobs available each year than there are applicants to fill them. This unusual situation simply enhances the benefits accruing to those graduates who do enter the actuarial profession.

"Mathematics majors are the likeliest candidates for actuarial jobs, but it is not essential to major in that field. The traits most important for successful actuaries are a good working knowledge of mathematics, common sense, the ability to meet people easily and the ability to explain complicated matters clearly and simply."

Skelding urges students interested in mathematics to obtain copies of the new actuarial folder, either through the mathematics department or placement office or by writing to the Casualty Actuarial Society, 200 Fourth Avenue, New York 3, N.Y.

Want to save money? Drop your soiled and dirty clothes by College Cleaners where you'll get a 35 per cent discount on all clothes to be cleaned.



JOINING THE APACHES AT MID-TERM

—Bill Knight and Davy Hobson. Last Tuesday night 6'7" Knight, of Sacramento, Ky., suited up for the first time against Wharton. Knight is a freshman transfer from Western Kentucky State College in Bowling Green, Ky. Also new with the tribe and making his

second appearance with the Black and Gold is Slocum's Hobson, 6'1" guard. A Hobson held down a starting guard post with the Apaches in the 1952-53 cage season, but left college after that year, leaving him with one more season's eligibility.

Candidate Favorites Up For Selection

Eighteen candidates have been nominated for college favorites. From the 18 one girl and one boy will be selected as all-college favorites. Two girls and two boys will be selected from each of the freshman and sophomore classes as class favorites.

The five winners will have a special section in the Apache yearbook according to Mary Lillian Stewart, editor in charge of personalities.

Sophomore candidates are Carolyn Campbell of Palestine, Carol Morgan, Gail Stanley, and Gwen Whisenhunt of Tyler, Bill Kinzie of Lindale, Dan Gibbs, Scott Jones, and Joe Lee Holt of Tyler.

Freshman candidates are Barbara Korkmas, Mary Etta Allen, Judy Huges, Ann Ray, and Martha "Rusty" Ingram, all of Tyler; Von Evans of Baytown, Ottis Hargett of Linden, Jackie Cannon of Shelbyville, James Landrum of Tyler, and Don Hewitt of Lindale.

All candidates were nominated by popular vote in special class meetings.

The date for the run-off has not been announced.

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STATE MEET PLANS MADE

Gibson Elected Secretary Of Future Teachers Assn.

Sue Gibson, sophomore from Golden, was elected secretary of the Future Teachers' Association for the spring semester in a meeting Thursday morning. Sue replaces Gloria Galouye, who has finished her work at TJC and is now attending TCU. Sue is returning to the office she held last fall, but had to give up when it became necessary for her to drop out of school for awhile.

Plans were also made at the

meeting for attendance at state convention of FTA to be held in Amarillo College, March 22-23. Indications were that there will be enough students going to fill three cars this year, instead of nine students and two cars went to Huntsville last spring.

Members were reminded start bringing outgrown clothes for the rummage sale to be held soon to help defray expenses of the trip. The theme for the convention this year is "Proudly Prepare to Teach."

Allen Gilchrist was appointed to serve on the program committee this spring. Allen was one of two new boys who joined the group Thursday. The other was Harold Hardy.

Pat Rains, president, presided at the meeting.

TJC Joins City Group In YMCA Member Drive

Students and faculty are sharing the responsibility of putting the YMCA over in Tyler.

James Barnes, instructor in government, was recently appointed a member of the committee to increase membership in the current drive. Dean E. M. Potter is a member of the Board of Directors.

TJC students are giving their time and experience in teaching. Larry Larison, freshman, teaches a class of boys in Gary Elementary School each week. Jack Pollard has a class at Bell and Bonner, and Bill Clyde teaches a class at Marsh and Douglas elementary schools.

Approximately 100 drive workers picked up membership solicitation cards as the Young Men's Christian Association opened its 1956 canvass for 2250 members with a kickoff breakfast at the Blackstone Hotel.

Judge Connally McKay, drive chairman, presided. The workers were divided into teams representing the seven schools of the Southwest Conference, and plaques and citations will honor the outstanding drive workers and leading teams, YMCA general secretary Ray Hill said.

The two-week membership drive hopes to double the 110 of last year.

Hill also mentioned to drive workers that the Y, as announced Saturday by President Lee Lawrence, is presently negotiating for more than 11 acres of land off East Lake known as the Victory Lake property, where it hopes to establish temporary facilities and then build into a full Y program.

Apaches Meet Kittens Tonight

TJC's Apaches, who climbed fifth place last week in the national junior college ratings, will meet the University of Houston at 8 p.m. Thursday night in Gentry Gym.

The Apaches will be seeking revenge against the UH Frosh who having fallen to them in Houston last month.

Probable starters for Apaches are Milton (Chief) Williams, Russell Boone, Jerry Miller, Ray Toole and Dee Mack.

Coach Floyd Wagstaff's team also hosts Del Mar College's Frosh of Corpus Christi Friday night and TCU's Frosh team Saturday night. Both games are scheduled in Gentry Gym and will get underway at 8 p.m.

The TJC-Del Mar game is a conference meeting while the one with the TCU Frosh is a non-conference affair.

The Texas Eastern School of Nursing has recently purchased a new station wagon for the use of the students and school. The new car is placed on the lot at each side.

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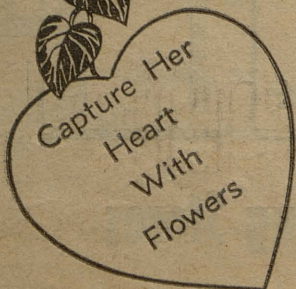
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Tyler, Kilgore Eye Conference Title

The hectic Longhorn Conference is down the stretch this week as Kilgore College's potent Rangers and Tyler Junior College's Apaches both sharply eyeing the title.

Tyler's Russell Boone continues to pace the conference in scoring with a total of 699 points in 28 games for an average of 24.9. That is high enough last week to rate him among the leading junior college scorers of the nation.

Kilgore, who won three conference games last week to wrest the lead from Tyler, was still atop the standings Monday with a five won, one lost record while Coach Floyd Wagstaff's Apaches rested in second place with a 4-1 record.

However, Tyler was scheduled to play Victoria Tuesday night in Victoria. A win for the Apaches would put them in a tie with the Rangers for the Conference lead.

The Apaches took another crack at Wharton's highly-regarded Pioneers Wednesday night in Wharton. The Apaches, rated fifth in last week's Associated Press junior college poll, defeated Wharton 17-0 in the year. Coach Johnny

Brid Jackets Top TJC Male Apparel

The latest in the male fashions TJC worn by 28 Apaches are the suede jackets with a gold trim.

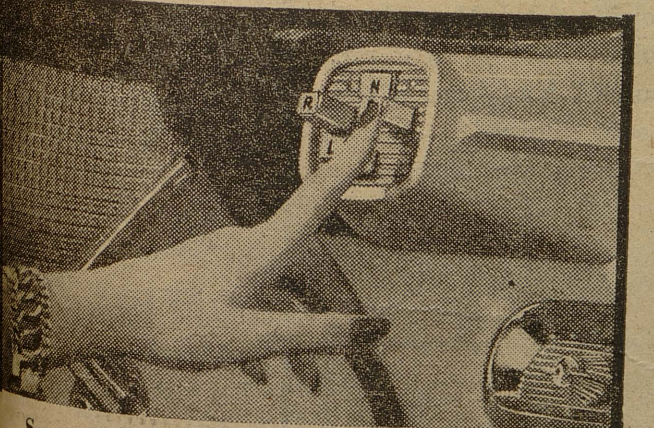
Coaches Floyd Wagstaff and Babe Hallmark presented letter jackets to Ray Toole, quarterback, Billy Ray Dickey, quarterback, Galena Park; Edwin Robertson, fullback, White Oak; Ronnie Hall, fullback, Tyler; Ottis Harrell, halfback, Linden; Joe Higginbotham, halfback, San Augustine.

Hurshel Lyle, halfback, Tyler; Wilton Rhodes, halfback, Center; Bobby Joe Wilson, halfback, Sherman; Duwayne Gandy, halfback, Hill; Larry Lewis, halfback, Hawkins; Bruce Bradshaw, halfback, Center.

Jack Cottrell, center, Holliday; Jimmy Maddox, center, Van; Jerry Sharrock, center, Albany; Ron Wright, guard, Tyler; Von Evans, guard, Baytown; Gerald Atkins, guard, Texarkana; Dean Layton, guard, Carlisle; Dan Workman, tackle, Jacksonville.

Bob Johnson, tackle, Lubbock; Don Goodman, guard, Tyler; Ben Hooker, tackle, Tenaha; Joe Holt, tackle, Tyler; Dean Atkins, end, Newcastle; and Max Wade, end, Tyler.

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Apache Tribe Sets Enviaible Record

By JOE PAT HAGAN

The records set by TJC in the past year shows the remarkable strength in athletics and the spirit of fans backing it.

Since 1947, TJC has won the football championship five times while the basketball team has copped the crown six times. The basketball team has competed in six national tournaments winning first place twice. The football team has competed in four bowl games since 1947.

Here is a resume of the football and basketball story:

In 1947-48, there were eight members in the Southwestern Junior College conference: Tyler, Kilgore, Paris, Tarleton, Schreiner, Arlington, San Angelo, and Lamar. That year, Tyler took both the crowns in football and basketball.

In 1948-49, TJC competed in the same conference against the same teams. Kilgore won the football crown, but TJC came back to take the basketball conference.

In 1949-50, Lamar and Tyler shared the football championship and Tyler came through again to take the basketball crown.

Tyler entered the Big Six conference in 1950-51 along with Kilgore, Paris, Northeast Lamar, McNeese, and Cameron. Tyler won the football and basketball championships. They also repeated their performance in 51-52, taking both crowns against the same teams and same conference.

In 1952-53, the Big Six conference was made up of Tyler, Kilgore, Paris, Little Rock, and Cameron. That year saw Tyler win in football but Cameron came through to take the basketball crown.

In 1953-54 the Big Six was Tyler, Kilgore, and Paris, with Tyler winning in football and basketball.

In 1954-55, Kilgore swept the conference, winning against Tyler, Wharton, Victoria, and Del Mar.

In 1955-56 what will it be? We have seen Del Mar take the football crown. With the basketball season just beginning, we should see plenty of action. Looks like the warriors of TJC will have a fine season from the showing this far.

Spring Training Will Begin Within Two Weeks

Coaches Floyd Wagstaff and Babe Hallmark plan to begin spring training within the next two weeks, but no definite day has been set.

Twenty-six returning players and seven newcomers are expected to report.

Returning linemen are ends Dean Fikes, 180 from Newcastle; Charles Mitchell, 187 from Carlisle; and Claude Liley, 180 from Galena Park. Tackles Terry Vaughn, 220, from Galena Park; Bob Johnson, 240, from Lubbock, and Dan Womack, 230, from Jacksonville.

Guards Don Goodman, 215 and Ronny Wright, 160, both of Tyler; Jack Martin, 185, from Albany; Von Evans, 195, from Baytown, and Billy Wayne Pool, 165, from Henderson. At center will be Jerry Sharrock, 185, from Albany.

In the backfield will be quarterbacks Billy Ray Dickey, 165, from Galena Park, and Phil Cyphers, 160, from San Juan, Alamo; halfbacks Otis Hargett, 155, from Linden; Joe Higginbotham, 175, from San Augustine; Crow Norvell, 160, from New London; Wilton Rhodes, 168, from Center.

Bobby Joe Wilson, 160, from Sherman; Jerry Harris, 140, from Deer Park; Bruce Bradshaw, 170, from Center. Fullbacks Ronnie Neill, 190, from Tyler; Edwin Robertson, 170, from White Oak; Albert Burton, 160, from Albany, and Jackie Cannon, 180, Shelbyville.

Basketball Schedule

- Feb. 9—University of Houston, Tyler;
- Feb. 10—Del Mar College, Tyler;
- Feb. 11—TCU Freshmen, Tyler;
- Feb. 13—SMU Freshmen, Dallas;
- Feb. 16—Northwestern State, La., Natchitoches, La.;
- Feb. 20—Paris, Tyler;
- Feb. 22—Texas A&M Freshmen, Tyler;
- Feb. 27—Northwestern State, La., Natchitoches, La.

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About Sports

Bang -- Up Battle Dur In Regional Tourney

By Harold Reagan

From all indications of performances up to this point the annual Regional 14 Tournament will feature a bang-up battle for the championship and the right to represent this district in the Nationals.

The way it looks now the defending champions, TJC Apaches, will have a rough time keeping the honor at Apache-land, with such powers as Kilgore, Lon Morris, and Wharton on hand.

Coach Joe Turner's tall Kilgore Rangers and coach O. P. Adams' Lon Morris Bearcats appear to be the only two clubs really capable of dethroning the Tribe, who were ranked fifth in the nation in last week's Associated Press poll.

Something that may be the deciding factor for Coach Floyd Wagstaff's cagers in the Regional Tourney is the fact that it will be played in the Apaches' own Gentry Gym.

Thus far in the season Wag's Warriors have proved pure poison to every visiting team who have taken the floor against them in Gentry Gym.

Kilgore and Lon Morris have equally as good a home court record this season, as both are currently undefeated on their own floor.

The Apaches have already proved they can whip both Kilgore and Lon Morris in Gentry Gym as they trounced both by nearly twenty points a few weeks ago.

But both have beaten the Tribe on their home court.

So any way you look at it there's going to be one good Tournament with the tops in basketball on the TJC campus come March.

Mid-term saw one 6'7" forward leave the Apache roster while another 6'7" forward put his name on it.

Wayne Evans, of Delanson, N. Y., dropped from the Tribe's reserves to enroll at San Angelo Junior College where he will continue his cage play.

Replacing Evans' rebound ability will be Bill Knight, of Sacramento, Ky. Knight, a freshman transfer from Western Kentucky State College, brings with him a fine record in anybody's book.

Lettering four years at Sacramento High, the 6'7" Knight was named all-district for all four years. His last year in high school saw him on the all-region team, in Kentucky's third schoolboy region.

Knight makes the third Kentuckian on the Apache roster alongside Jerry Keller, of Dixon, Ky., and Kelly Chapman, of Owensboro, Ky.

Also at mid-term the Apaches took on an ex-TJC player, in 6'1" Davy Hobson of Slocum. Hobson held down a starting guard slot in the 1952-53 cage season, but dropped college at the end of that year leaving him with one more year of junior college eligibility.

The speedy Hobson also had a fine record while in high school, finishing two years of schoolboy play with a 20.1-point per-game average.

His senior year saw him named outstanding player in three of the tournaments that Slocum participated in, Dialville, Palestine, and Frankston.

While donning the Black and Gold for the Apaches the 6'1" guard proved more of a ball handler and a hustler than a shooter, but managed to come out of the '52-'53 campaign with an 8.2 game average.

Incidentally, that was the season that the Apaches were co-champs of the conference with the Cameron Aggies of Cameron, Okla.

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Nine Apache Gridders Accept Scholarships

Nine of the 12 Apache gridders who completed their eligibility at TJC have accepted scholarships in senior colleges.

Leaving at mid-term on football scholarships were Duwayne Gandy (halfback) and Dean Slayton (guard), Tulsa University; Jake Cottrell (center), North Texas State; Joe Lee Holt (tackle) Oklahoma A&M; Hershel Lyle (halfback) University of Texas; Gerald Elkins (guard) North East State in Louisiana; Bob Woodruff (tackle) Florida State; Ben Dick Hooker (tackle) and Larry Lewis (halfback), Sam Houston State.

Three of the gridders dropped out of college. Jim Pitts had trouble scholastically, Tommy Maddox joined the navy, and Bob Johnson married.

All nine boys have left Tyler for their respective colleges. They

join the roster of Coach Floyd Wagstaff's Apaches who through the years have won scholarships in colleges over the country.

Ten-Ton Addition Makes Teepee Sing

Cool, pleasant, and enjoyable is the outlook for the Teepee. An air-conditioning unit has been purchased by the board of trustees in order to provide a cooling and refreshing spot for students between classes.

According to Richard H. Barrett, business manager, installation will begin immediately and the units should be ready in time for warm weather.

In expressing his views on the new air-conditioning units, Dr. Harry E. Jenkins said "the new air-conditioning features will make the Teepee a fine place for Apaches to congregate."

Dean E. M. Potter remarked that college student recreational facilities in this section of the United States are being made as comfortable as possible and Tyler Junior College wants to keep in line.

TJC's Board of Directors approved the purchase of the 10-ton General Electric air conditioner and the unit has already been delivered to the Teepee.



DEGREE TIME CAME EARLY AT TJC—A degree is hard enough to get, most students say, but Cliff Sawyer, specialist recruiting and training at General Electric, (right), is awarded a degree and a presidency, all in one hour. The Tyler Coffee Clutch (business and professional men) met in the TJC cafeteria last Wednesday with Dr. H. E. Jen-

kins as president of the week. President Jenkins presents a DDD degree to Sawyer. Dean E. M. Potter joins in the merriment. Each member of the club "graduated" with the issuance of DDD (Doctor of Dunk Donuts) degrees. All in fun, the club meets weekly at various spots in Tyler for an hour of relaxation.

Wagstaff Has New Secretary

Mrs. Johnita Hobbs, the new full-time secretary for Coach Floyd Wagstaff, came here from Arkadelphia, Ark. She replaces former secretary Joan Sorrell who recently married.

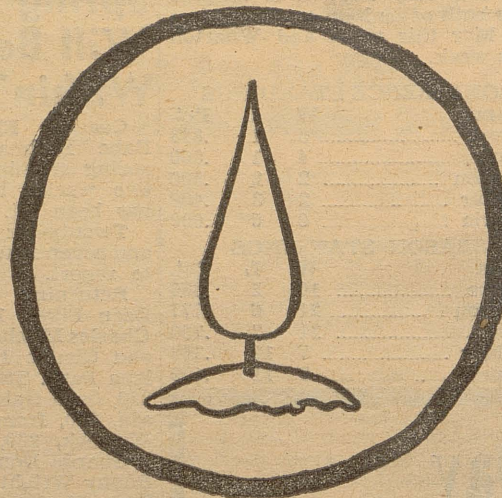
Mrs. Hobbs graduated from Derk High School in 1954 and attended Henderson State Teachers college two years. Don Hobbs, her husband, is now employed at KGKB and KLTU as a local news editor.

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- (1) The card is not transferable and will be revoked for violation.
- (2) The special discount must be shown on the face of this card. It does not apply on road show attractions. However there will be reduced admission on these features.
- (3) The management reserves the right to revoke the card for misconduct in the theatres.

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